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HUNGARIANS FIND GYPSUM DEPOSIT, NEW CAVES

GYPSUM DEPOSIT IS EXTENSIVE -- Budapest, Magyar Nemzet, 18 Jul 53

Geologists drilling for iron ore in the area between Rudabanya and Szentandras have come upon an extensive deposit of gypsum. The deposit is of the lower Triassic period. The diabases and gabros have crumbled between the gypsum, and the secondary stone is serpentine rock.

The drills, which are now working at a depth of 125 meters, first hit gypsum at a depth of 5 meters and have been drilling through pure gypsum ever since.

Rich deposits of salt were found in the same area.

DISCOVER NEW CAVES IN THE BUKK HILLS -- Budapest, Nepszava, 27 Aug 53

Engineers working to increase the water supply of Miskolc and Diosgyor discovered that brooks went underground near Repashuta and emerged again at Kacs after having traveled 11 kilometers underground. Exploration revealed that the waters dropped 61 meters and flowed through huge caves and subterranean lakes. The caves have many stalagmite and stalactite formations, some of which are 1 1/2 and 2 meters long.

The estimated combined length of the caves is 45 kilometers.

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